Montgomery County Department of Liquor Control



April 2011

Outdoor Cafe Application

To obtain an application for an outdoor cafe, please visit www.visitmontgomery.com/dlc or call the Licensing Office at 240-777-1999.

Outdoor Cafe Checklist

Any license may operate an outdoor café as part of the licensed premises only if the outdoor café is:

- Contiguous to the licensed premises, enclosed in a clearly delineated area, and surrounded by a continuous barrier at least 36 inches high at its lowest point of ingress and egress; and neither on any public property nor on a public right-of-way, without the express written approval of the appropriate State, County or local governmental authority.
- On the same side of the street and extends no more than a combined total of fifty (50) feet beyond the width of the store front of the licensed premises in either direction. "Store front" is defined as that part of the outer wall of any premises which is contiguous to a public sidewalk or right-of-way.
- If the café extends beyond the width of the store front of the licensed premises, the licensee must obtain written permission to operate the extended portion of the café, from all adjoining property owners within the extended café area.
- In addition, the distance between the store front of the licensed premises and the closest point of the café area must be no more than twenty-five (25) feet; and enclosed in a clearly delineated area, and surrounded by a continuous barrier at least 36 inches high at its lowest point with controlled point(s) of entrance and exit.
- All licensees who operate an outdoor café as part of the licensed premises will only do so with the express approval of the Board of License Commissioners. The Board may modify, suspend, or revoke the outdoor café privilege.
- Table service must be available at Outdoor Café's.

Outside Advertising

• A restaurant or hotel holding a Class B, BWL, on sale license shall not allow any exterior advertisement on the building in which the licensed premises is located, which promotes the sale of alcoholic beverage. This excludes outdoor umbrellas.

Reminders:

Alcohol Beverage License Pick Up

Renewed licenses will be issued between April 18 and April 29, 2011. These are not mailed and must be picked up in person from the licensing office.

2011/12 License

A new 2011/12 Alcohol Beverage License must be posted in facility by May 1, 2011

Prom and Graduation Season Right Around the Corner

Prom and graduation time are high risk for under 21 sales. Be extra diligent in checking ID's, ask for second ID if there is any doubt, look out for fake ID's, and refuse sales to adults who have taken money from a minor to purchase alcohol.



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Bulletin Board



Alcohol Awareness Trainings:

All alcoholic license establishments are required by law to have a state approved alcohol awareness certified person (licensee or person employed in a supervisory capacity) on the licensed premise during all hours in which alcoholic beverages are served.

Maryland Certified Alcohol Trainers:

Alcohol Awareness Course

AP-36218

(English/Spanish)

Contact: John S. Murray

410-553-8927, jmurrayaa@aol.com

Maryland Hospitality Education Foundation (MHEF) BEST Training

AP-36224

(English/Spanish)

Contact: Marshall Weston

800-874-1313, marshall@ramef.org

GOOD Program

AP-36240

Contact: Grace Lee

703-309-0281, primechoicellc@yahoo.com

EMI Services, Management Services

AP-45145

(English/Spanish)

Contact: Norm Neverson

301-961-5690/202-882-7175, neverson1@juno.com

Maryland TAM, Inc., Maryland State Licensed Beverage Association (MSLBA)- Education Resource

AP-36236

(Spanish, Korean, Japanese, and Chinese written translations)

Contact: Jane Springer

410-876-3424/800-921-1382, mdtam@msn.com

TIPS (Training for Intervention Procedures)

AP-51255

Contact: Richard Suess

443-321-4618, www.gettips.com

Contact: Susan Hayes

AP-40748

(English/Spanish)

240-367-7482, fivetop@aol.com

Prevention Through Education (PTE)

AP-51244

Contact: Howard Walsh

301-602-8721 or 240-277-6477, walshhoward@hotmail.com

UPCOMING STATE CERTIFIED CLASSES IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, MD

Alcohol Awareness Course- John S. Murray

Saturday, April 23, 2011 @ 8:30 AM

Caddie's Restaurant 4922 Cordell Avenue Bethesda, MD 20814

Saturday, May 21, 2011 @ 8:30 AM

VFW Post #9862 211 N. Frederick Avenue, SUite K Gaithersburg, MD 20877

> \$65 per trainee CALL: JOHN S. MURRAY (410) 553-8927 Jmurrayaa@aol.com

Written translations in Spanish, Korean, Chinese, Vietnamese and Japanese

MSLBA ER TAM®

Monday, April 4, 2011- 10 AM - 2 PM

American Legion Post #86 2013 Veirs Mill Road (Twin Brook Mart) Rockville, MD 20852

> \$65 for MSLBA members \$75 for non-members

Call: 410-876-3424 to register

DLC offers a **FREE** Alcohol Law Education and Regulatory Training (ALERT) twice a month to County licensees and staff.

This class compliments the state certified classes.

For more information or to register, please call 240-777-1989.